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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

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For: POSITION INDICATION DEVICE AND INFORMATION STORAGE MEDIUM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claim 24 as follows:

24. (Amended) A computer-usable information storage medium used in a game  
system that comprises:

the position indication device as defined by claim 1;

game processing means that receives information from the position indication device  
and performs game processing based on the detected indicated position; and

image generation means that generates a game image in accordance with the game  
processing performed by the game processing means,

wherein the information storage medium comprises a program for implementing the  
above means on a computer.

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